MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (KUMARI GIRIJA VYAS): (a) and (b). No, Sir. There is no such proposal at present on account of paucity of transmission time and resources.

[*Translations*]

Industries in Rai Baralley and Sultanpur Districts of U.P

6658. SHRI VISHWANATH SHASTRI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the particulars of the industries set up in Rai Baralley and Sultanpur districts of Uttar Pradesh by the Union Government or with the assistance provided by it during each of the last these years; and

(b) the criteria adopted for setting up these industries?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P.K. THUNGON): (a) No Central Public Sector Industrial Unit has been set up in Rai Barelley and Sultanpur Districts of Uttar Pradesh during the last three years.

(b) Central investments in Central Public Sector Enterprises in different parts of the country are made taking into consideration the techno-economic viability of the projects while keeping in view the need for overall balanced regional development.

[*English*]

Project Under National Natural Resources Management

6659. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether some projects under National Natural Resources Management in Orissa have been submitted to the Planning Commission for clearance and allocation of additional funds in the plan budget of the State for 1991-92;

(b) if so, the details of such projects; and

(c) the steps taken by the Planning Commission to clear those project and allocate funds?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINSTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION(SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): (a) No, Sir,

(b) and (c). Do not arise.

Ammonia and Urea Fertilizer Plants in Orissa

6660. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposal to set up some ammonia and urea fertiliser plants by the private sector in Orissa is pending for clearance since long;

(b) if so, the details of the proposals submitted by the private sector in this regard;

(c) the capacity and employment potentialities of those plants, together with the sites selected for their establishment; and

(d) the reaction of the Union Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (DR. CHINTA MOHAN): (a) to (d). Only one application was received on 28th May, 1986 from M/s. Century Spinning &

Manufacturing Company Ltd. for an industrial licence to set up a 900 TPD ammonia and 1500 TPD urea plant at Paradeep in Orissa based on naphtha as feed-stock. The case, after its careful consideration, was rejected by Government on 24th June, 1991 due, inter-alia, to inadequate availability of the feed stock. Such unit is no longer subject to industrial licensing under the New Industrial Policy.

Cement Plants in Orissa

6661. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposals to set up some slag cement Plants in Orissa are pending since long;

(b) whether those proposals are likely to be implemented during 1991-92; and

(c) if so, the steps taken in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (PROF. P.J. KURIEN): (a). M/s. Orissa Cements Limited had made an application for expansion of their capacity for manufacture of slag cement by 2.75 lakh tonnes per annum at their existing factory at Rajgangpur in Orissa . M/s. Industrial Development Corporation of Orissa Limited had sought approval for modernisation-cum-expansion scheme for manufacture of Portland Cement including slag cement to produce an additional 3 lakh tonnes per annum at their existing unit located at Bargarh, District Sambalpur in Orissa. Letters of Intent have been granted in both the cases.

Under the new Industrial Policy, no Industrial Licence is required for setting up new cement projects or for their substantial expansion.

(b) and (c). The above proposals are likely to be implemented during the Eight Plan Period.

Take over of Agro-Fruits Products Centre in Kerala

6662. SHRI KODIKKUNNIL SURESH: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have my proposal to take over the Agro Fruits Product Centre one of the major Food Processing units of the Kerala-Agro-Industries Corporation from Punalur in Kerala; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the decision taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Drinking water Schemes for Kerala

6663. SHRI THAYIL JOHN ANJALOSE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Kerala have sent some drinking water schemes to the Union Government for its approval;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the total expenditure likely to be incurred on each scheme; and

(d) the steps taken for according approval to the said schemes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI UTTAMBHAI H. PATEL): (a) Yes, Sir.